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Living symbol of the power of an idea is Mary Jane Hayden, 18-year-old daughter of Perry and Elizabeth Hayden of Tecumseh. The Haydens founded the "Biblical Wheat" demonstration of tithing whereby farmers have agreed to donate one-tenth of the annual yield of grains starting with one bushel of grain donated by Henry Ford, to the church of their choice. The sixth and final planting of dynamic kernels has produced approximately 50,000 bushels of wheat, valued currently at about \$100,000.

Sown this year by 267 Michigan farmers, the tithed wheat will benefit 30 religious denominations and about 175 individual churches. Much of this wheat will be donated to famine relief.

Mary Jane has dedicated her life to the cause of Christ. She will be a foreign missionary, spreading the spirit of the Golden Rule in the hearts of people in far-off lands.

Labor unrest in the city, not the revolutionary threat of the atomic bomb, is prompting industry to decentralize production in favor of small towns.

While on a brief swing in West Michigan later this week, with a few days of this post-war trend. At Belding, for example, the town's business section is dominated by an imposing mill structure, many stories high, with a big clock in the tower. It was built about 1900 by the Belding Brothers Silk Company and operated steadily until 1931 when it became a victim of the depression and remained idle for nearly nine years.

The Belding mill plant is the new home of a division of the Murray Company of America, which employs 550 persons, to make springs for Oldsmobiles. Another new industry is the Extruded Metal Corporation, employing 300 persons to make airplane parts. Gibson has a stove factory also at Belding.

Belding is now back on the map. Things are booming.

North of Belding is another enterprising small city, Greenville, with plants making Gibson refrigerators and Federal Mogul trucks. Don Smith, newspaper publisher, reported that Greenville has a labor shortage. Local industries hope to double payrolls in the next five years.

Cedar Springs, the red flannel home, was recently selected for a branch of the Keele Brass Company of Grand Rapids. Its big industry is the Interstate Creamery which employs 80 persons, pays them \$3,500 a week, and puts \$30,000 into the bank accounts of dairy farmers every six days.

Through the courtesy of Cy Johnson, plant superintendent, we witnessed the assembly line production of sweetened condensed milk, of which 250,000 cans are being turned out daily for shipment overseas. Interstate recently opened up branches at Edmore and Reed City.

Sparta, also in Kent County, brags of a "million dollar peach belt," but it has several prosperous industries including a branch of the Muskegon Piston Ring Company and a plant of Carnation Milk Company, only one of its kind in Michigan. Nearby at Kent City is the Larsen canning plant.

Growers near Sparta are in clover this summer. Cherries are bringing \$300 a ton, or around 21 cents a quart. Pickers earn \$1 an hour, compared with \$1.50 a day pre-war. One Sparta grower, a graduate of Michigan State College, netted \$2,000 in acre from strawberries on a 3-acre tract.

Up in Newaygo County at Grant is an up and coming agricultural center. Nine new buildings are under construction in the business district, thanks to high prices for onions, celery and carrots.

Grant is proud of its fine community building, the gift of heirs of a leading West Michigan lumberman, the late D. W. Squier, who left property in 38 states.

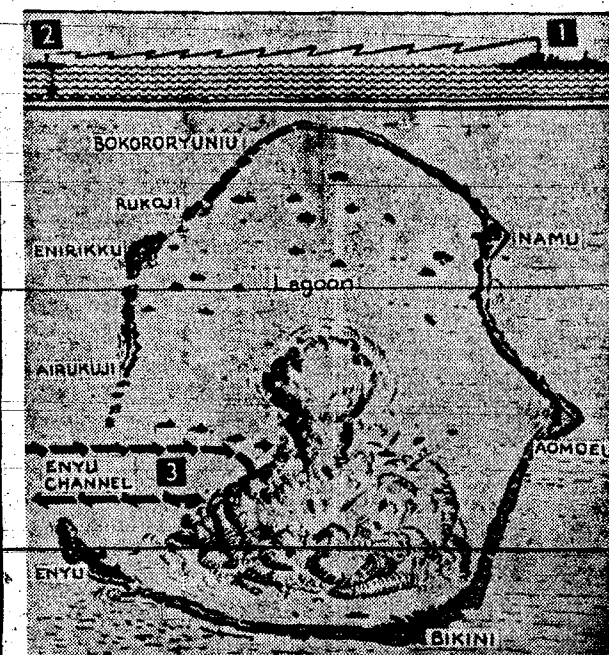
The town of Newaygo on the Muskegon River is the home of a new industry, the Roby Tackle Company, making fishing tackle and tennis shoes. It was begun by L. L. Roby, former salesman for Shakespeare at Kalamazoo. Newaygo also has the newly organized Post Prozen Products Company and the Newaygo Milk Products Company, both financed by Grand Rapids and Fremont.

At White Cloud, county seat of Newaygo County, is a lumber company which is going to town with pre-fabricated houses, three rooms and bath, for \$1,300—so we were told.

Scottville is the home of the (Continued from Page 3)

## CONTROL IS PROBLEM

### Congress Battle Rages In Face of Atom Test



"TASK BAKER"—Radio impulses sent out from the USS Cumberland Sound, indicated in top drawing (1) were to detonate the underwater "A" bomb for the "Task Baker," second of the Bikini experiments. The bomb was suspended from a special barge (2). As indicated by the arrows (3) a number of "drone" ships were directed into the lagoon to test the effects of radio-activated waves.

By WALTER A. SHEARD  
WNU Washington Correspondent

## HONOLULU, OPERATION

CROSSROAD. — While army and navy officials in charge of Joint Task Force-1 at the Bikini atomic bomb tests are interested in the quibble now going on in the congress as between civilian and military control of atomic energy, their single interest here is to complete successfully the important experiments on the possible damage which an atom bomb can do to a fleet at sea.

In the meantime, Adm. W. H. P. Blandy, commander of Operations Crossroads, has intimated that weather conditions may force a week's delay in the underwater test in Bikini lagoon scheduled for July 25, which would make "Baker-day" Aug. 1 or thereabouts. As has been pointed out, the weather for this second test need not be as perfect as for the first test when the bomb was dropped from a B-29, but it must be clear enough for aerial observation and photography.

The press ship USS Appalachia has completed her trip to Pearl Harbor for minor repairs and now is anchored with the rest of the maintenance fleet in Bikini lagoon, ready to pull out and cruise outside to the seaward side of the island when the time is ripe for the second test.

## Wehnes Services Held Friday

Funeral services were held last Friday afternoon, July 26, at the South Branch Church for Conrad Wehnes, who passed away July 24 at Mercy Hospital at the age of 74. Rev. Eric Whiting of West Branch officiated. Death resulted from injuries received when Mr. Wehnes was thrown from a moving machine July 13.

The deceased was born September 12, 1871, in Germany. At the age of six months he came, with his parents, to America, locating at Brighton, Michigan. After about eight years they came to Crawford County, where his father carved a home for his family out of the wilderness on a homestead near what is now Eldorado. Later Conrad acquired a farm of his own which he cleared and developed into one of the finest farm properties in the county.

He was well known and respected by many people throughout the state. On June 16, 1914, he was united in marriage with Miss Katie Lamm of Eldorado, and to this union were born six children, five of whom, with his widow, survive him.

Those left to mourn him are his widow, Mrs. Katie Wehnes; his daughters, Mrs. Frank Richardson, Mrs. Elva Richardson, and Miss Gloria Wehnes, all of this place; two sons, Edward R., ex-service man, of this place, and Roy C., now in Japan; and four grandchildren. He is also survived by four sisters, Mrs. Bertha Wehnes and Mrs. Eliza Dennis, both of West Branch, and Mrs. Mary Ferguson of Hillman; also Mrs. Wehnes' sister, Mrs. Besie Abram of Chicago, and brother, Fred Lamm and family of Grayling, who with their families were all present at the funeral.

## MAPLE FOREST NEWS

Stanley Hummel attended the AAA convention in Marquette from Wednesday until Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Ervin of Bay City are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Howse, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hennig and daughters, Virginia and DeLynn, of Royal Oak, were visitors at the Oscar Parsons home Thursday. Mrs. Parsons accompanied them to Petoskey.

Callers at the H. MacWilliams home Sunday were Mrs. Hildebrand and friend, of Howell, and Floyd Sharpe of Bay City.

To celebrate his 7th birthday, Lee Weaver entertained several of his friends last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wittie and daughter Phyllis, of Detroit, were guests at the William Woodburn home, Sunday.

Jack Hummel is spending the week at the 4-H Club camp at Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson and family of Grayling were visitors Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Henry Smith.

Patrik Parent of Mt. Clemens arrived Tuesday to spend the summer with his mother at their home here.

Home Economics Club met at the home of Mrs. Arthur Howse, Thursday.

After a three weeks visit with relatives and friends, Mr. and Mrs. York Edmonds and family have returned to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Plagens and daughter Barbara, of Detroit, been staying with their daughter, Mrs. Ivan Hamblin, while the Plagens are building their home here.

Mr. MacMillan spent the week-end with his family at the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lovely and family, former residents of Maple Forest, are camping at Jones Lake for a week.

Mrs. E. I. Jewell and two sons, of Adrian, are spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Hugh MacMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Mathews, with daughter Jerrie and husband and baby, of Albion, attended the fifty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mrs. Mathews' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, of Rose City, Sunday. Mrs. Allan Baker and children and Mrs. Russell Smith, of Flint, are spending a week as the guests of the Mathews.

Paul Jones has returned to his home in Detroit after spending a week at his cabin on the Manistee River.

Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick and sons, Donny and Billy, of Detroit, are spending a month at the parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bath of the Upper Peninsula stopped Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trudgen, en route to Lansing to visit her sister, Mrs. Ron Perkins, and other relatives.

Royale Wright spent several days in Detroit on business last week.

## LOCAL BOY AT BIKINI FOR ATOM BOMB TEST

A letter received last week by Willard F. Harwood of Grayling revealed that his son, Quartermaster First-Class Paul C. Harwood, is aboard the USS Graf (at Bikini), one of the five non-target ships in the Atoll during the actual explosion of the atom bomb.

He said in part in his letter: "Well, tomorrow (rather I should say today), is the day they drop the second bomb here at Bikini. We are one of the five non-target vessels that will be inside the Atoll when the bomb is dropped. I sure hope it misses us. It is a small test-bomb for the big ones set for the twenty-fourth of July. From what I've seen of the first test, this Atom Bomb does not live up to expectations. It sure seems like an awful lot of money and state liberty time wasted out here."

Paul, who has been in the United States Navy for six years, expects to arrive in the States about the first of September and hopes to get a leave so he can visit his family in Grayling.

During his six years service he has advanced from a seaman second class to his present position, and expects a higher rating in the very near future. His wartime experiences have taken him from a 13-month stretch off Iceland to the landings in North Africa, and plenty of other service in the Atlantic and Pacific.

According to his dad, Paul expects to write further on the latest bomb explosion underwater at Bikini. He promised to write "an uncensored, unbiased account of the explosion from an enlisted man's viewpoint."

Paul's letter, supplied with the articles by Walter Sheard which the Avalanche has been carrying before and during the history-making tests, should give the readers of this paper a clearer idea of the tests and results. Knowing that a local boy is at the scene of the titanic bomb bursts makes local people feel a little closer to the celebrated and much talked and written about tests.

## MARY JANE JOSEPH WEDS CAPT. LEONARD KNIBBS IN WESTERN CHAPEL RITES



Before an altar lovely with bouquets of peach and white gladioli and lighted tapers, Miss Mary Jane Joseph, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph, became the bride of Captain Leonard Knibbs, United States Army Air Force, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Knibbs.

The wedding vows were read by Chaplain Louis A. Saunders of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, July 24, at 7:30 in the evening at the Base Chapel, Kearns, Utah. Lohengrin's Wedding March and Ave Maria were played during the ceremony. Miss Joseph chose a white suit and accessories for her wedding. This was complemented by a purple orchid corsage. Miss Ruth Connelly of Frankfort, Kentucky, as the bride's only attendant, was attired in an aqua crepe dress and black accessories. Her corsage was two white gardenias nestled in a circle of pink tea roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence B. Roberts of San Antonio, Texas, served Captain Knibbs as best man. A small reception at the Officers' Club and dinner at the Starlight Roof at the Hotel Utah followed the wedding ceremony.

Mrs. Knibbs is a 1944 graduate of Michigan State College, East Lansing, and for the past two years has been employed by the Federal Works Agency, Public Buildings Administration, Washington, D.C., as a food chemist. Captain Knibbs was born and raised in Grayling, but in recent years has made his home with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Bertl, at Roscommon. He attended Central Michigan College of Education at Mt. Pleasant and for the past five years has served with the Army Air Forces.

Thirty-nine months of this time was spent in the Pacific Theater of War. Although Captain Knibbs has received his discharge, he has not been re-enlisted.

The young couple are enjoying a short honeymoon in Salt Lake City, Utah. Captain Knibbs expects to leave immediately for duty in the South Pacific and Mrs. Knibbs will join him later.

These young people are well known in Grayling and their many friends extend heartfelt congratulations.

## PLAN VICTORY DAY CELEBRATION HERE

The Grayling American Legion Post No. 106 and VFW Chief Shoppenagons Post at 4:15 p.m. Sunday, July 29, will sponsor a program for the celebration of Victory Day of World War II on August 14, as was resolved by Governor Harry Kelly as a holiday.

To be included in the program according to early plans, is a parade in co-operation with the Michigan State Troops from Camp Grayling, presentation of Gold Star Awards to those who lost dear ones in the late conflict, a speech for the occasion will be given, with the local committees attempting to have Major General Thomas C. Colquhoun, Commanding General of the State Troops at Camp Grayling, on hand for the address. Later in the afternoon there will be a ball game.

Further particulars as to the program for the celebration of Victory Day will be available for publication next week.

Hold Final Rites For Mrs. Logan

Final rites were held for Mrs. Grace L. Logan from the Sorenson Funeral Home, Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Logan, who was 43 years of age, passed away at her home down river on Sunday.

## PETITIONS BEING CIRCULATED FOR COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT CHANGES

Petitions are being circulated in the South Branch Township School District for the purpose of asking the qualified electors of that district to vote on the proposal to annex with the Gerrish-Higgins unit of Roscommon.

The students of South Branch have been transported to Roscommon for several years, as it is the natural community center of the people of that area. Because of increasing per capita costs, which are reflected in the out of district rates, South Branch finished the past school year with a deficit which would undoubtedly be increased in another year.

The combining of the two districts would benefit both groups, as it would allow all persons in the community area to have a voice in the management of the instructional program and afford the opportunity for equal property taxation. By far the greater benefit, however, would be the greater educational stability in the whole area that would be of increasing benefit to the young folks as years go by.

It is hoped that Beaver Creek No. 3 will also circulate petitions to consider the same proposal as South Branch. Beaver Creek has not been receiving any county or state aid money that would be received if they become a part of a larger district.

Of more direct interest to the people of Grayling and the community it serves are the petitions being circulated in Beaver Creek Districts No. 1 (Annis School), and No. 4 (Love School), and Grayling No. 1. These petitions propose to bring to the qualified electors the proposal to consolidate the three districts into a Rural Agricultural School District.

## GRAYLING DOWNS ROSCOMMON NINE

The Grayling baseball club faces a double bill this week-end after downing the leading Roscommon nine at Roscommon last Sunday by a 3 to 2 score.

A make-up game is scheduled with Mio at the City Park diamond here at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and a regularly scheduled game with Comins will take place at the local park at 3:00 Sunday afternoon.

A double victory this week-end would bring the local club up to within reaching distance of Roscommon, which is now out in front of Grayling and Grayling tied for second place, by 150 percentage points.

Behind the 4-hit pitching of Gildner, the Grayling club hopped on Emery, the Roscommon twirler, for 7 hits. The game was peculiar in that both teams made their scores in the 9th inning. An error and two passed balls helped the Grayling club to outscore their opponents.

In the other league contests Sunday, Lewiston defeated Atlanta by a 4 to 3 score; Grayling downed Comins, 11 to 7; and Fairview made 4 runs to Mio's 1. Following are the league standings, which still are incomplete due to some rained-out games not having been made up as yet:

	W	L	Pct
Roscommon	7	3	.700
Grayling	5	3	.625
Grayling	5	3	.625
Atlanta	6	4	.600
Fairview	4	4	.500
Mio	3	4	.429
Comins	2	5	.286
Comins	0	6	.000

## Kiwanians To Aid Army Recruiting

Members of the Kiwanis Club of Grayling today were asked by the War Department and Kiwanis International to participate in a volunteer army recruiting plan designed primarily to insure America's security and to promote world order.

The War Department some time ago asked Kiwanis International to jointly sponsor a volunteer army recruiting plan and the service organization's board of trustees (Continued on Page 2)

Bonita J. Cole and James F. Carpenter, both of Hastings, were united in marriage in a double wedding ceremony by Rev. Sven Holm at the Grayling Lutheran Church parsonage Saturday, July 27. The couple were attended by Kenneth Rose and Mrs. Avis Rose, also of Hastings.

The Roy Trudgens, James Hodgsons, Harold MacNevens, Jack Cooks, Ray Clements, Alfred Sorensons and Royale Wrights enjoyed a pot-luck and canoe trip on the Osable, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Joseph of Lansing spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph.

Financially the combination would net the whole area about \$5,000 per year over and above what the separate districts are now getting in state aid funds. Grayling No. 1 would receive transportation reimbursements and Rural Agricultural aid. Beaver Creek No. 1 pupils would all bring full state aid instead of the base 15, making a difference of forty to sixty dollars per child. Beaver Creek No. 4 has not received any state aid for years and did not receive any county tax last year. The larger unit would include those children in both of these units.

Creek districts would have to pay tuition to the Grayling No. 1 District. This would be eliminated by consolidation and would more than offset the special 5-mill 5-year levy that would be assumed as now in Grayling No. 1. In figures this would mean about a \$560 annual tax levy as compared to a tuition cost of around \$2,000 this year and a \$1,000 net bill thereafter on the present population.

Besides the added \$5,000 more state aid and the net savings in tuition costs, there would be savings in transportation costs, including some 20 miles per year less on the buses now operating amounting to 3,600 or more miles per year.

Added to the financial advantages would also be: (1) a more complete 12 grade educational program with better opportunity for music, art, homemaking, shop, agriculture and adult programs; (2) all property in the community will have equal taxation; (3) all persons in the community will have a voice in the management of the instructional program and greater educational stability will prevail in years to come.

There would be no reason to re-distribute the students as the Beaver Creek School should be maintained and possibly added to. There might be times when it would be agreeable and advisable to shift a few students from one unit to another, depending on the student population from year to year.

There are many advantages of reorganizing the school districts of a natural community. School finance and administration are becoming more complicated each year. Many hard-working citizens often have to sacrifice their own time and means of livelihood as their district can not have someone whose job is to see that the work is done. By pulling together, separate school better program not possible under several separate organizations operating independently.

## Game Division Moves Otto Failing North

Re-organization of the field staff of the Conservation Department's game division has resulted in assignment of district and regional game supervisors on an area plan that parallels closely the existing districts and regions of the department's law enforcement and forest fire agencies.

Field men of the game division, in the northern two-thirds of the state, were relieved this month of land administration in former state game areas, so they might devote full time to game matters. They are continuing to advise other divisions on timber cutting, reforestation, controlled burning and other such practices as they affect game, but are freed of detail work with timber sales, tax matters and the like.

The new game wardens and districts and their supervisors, as affects Crawford County, are:

Region 2, Harry Tubbs, supervisor; five districts in northern lower Michigan. District 5, Otto Failing at Grayling; for Emmet, Cheboygan, Presque Isle, Charlevoix, Antrim, Osego, Montmorency and Alpena counties; formerly stationed in Grayling.

District 7, Ford Kellum at Mio; for Crawford, Oscoda, Alcona, Roscommon, Ogemaw and Isosco counties.

## Local Laundry Scores High In Wash Test

The Grayling Laundry scored very high in a test run at their establishment recently for the American Laundry Institute, according to John H. Peterson, local proprietor.

The test was the washing of three pieces of percale 20 times. The three pieces when tested for wear and damage by the Institute received two zero marks for wear and one minus mark, in wear and loss on tensile strength.

According to Mr. Peterson, the minimum standard requirement set up by the national organization for laundries is a minus 10. According to this standard for the industry, the local laundry has made a remarkable score.



## WANT ADS

TELEPHONE 3111

RATES—Advertisements in this department cost 25 cents for 25 words or less for each insertion. For more than 25 words one cent a word for each insertion. Rates for display advertising in the classified columns on application. Orders by mail should be accompanied by cash or postage stamps. An extra charge of 10c will be made for blind ads and if it is necessary to bill for an advertisement that has been charged.

The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at NOON on Wednesday.

**ROCK WOOL INSULATION**—Blown in, guaranteed not to settle. Makes a structure more comfortable both summer and winter. Apply Box B, Crawford AVALANCHE Office for further information.

**NOTICE**—Builder and decorator, general contracting, carpenter, paper hanger, painter, roofing and side wall. For prompt service, drop card to Ernest J. Moulton, Box 231, Route 1, Roscommon.

**SEPTIC TANK SERVICE**—Septic tanks cleaned. All modern equipment. Phone 3771, Grayling, Michigan. Jack Millikin.

**HATCHES TWICE WEEKLY** during July. \$1.00 per 100 chicks will book your order. Write today! Sterling Poultry Farm and Hatchery, Sterling, Michigan. 6-27-46

**CASH AND CARRY**—Prices: 215 lb Asphalt shingles, 3-1 strip, per square, \$8. 90 lb rolled roofing, slate blend, \$2.50. No. 70 Wonder Oil, in 5 gallon cans, \$3.95 per gallon; in 5 gallon cans, \$2.75 per gallon. Superior Heat-Form Fireplace Units, all sizes. Plastoid mastic, per gallon, \$2.25. Pioneer Log Cabin Co., Phone 29, Roscommon, Michigan. 6-28-46

**FOR SALE**—Lake front lots, house logs all lengths, lumber and cedar posts. C. J. Worthey, Horseshoe Lake, near Fred- 28-46

**SLAB WOOD** for Sale—Approximately 4 cords, \$10.00 per cord. Phone 4438, Stanley Madsen. 5-16-46

**FOR SALE**—30-30 Winchester, Model 94 Carbine, in excellent condition. 2 boxes of shells. Lawrence Hunter, 207 Spruce Street. 1

**ATTRACTIVE PICTURED** note paper, one dozen notes and envelopes to a box 50 cents. Crawford AVALANCHE. 25-1

**FOR SALE**—Two sets over-night cabins, also lake front cottage on Lake Margrethe, O P Schumann, Grayling, Dial 3121. 25-1

**WANTED TO BUY**—Garage or gas station on US-27. Write Randall Conway, 8151 Clover-lawn, Detroit 4, Michigan. 18-25-1-8

**OPPORTUNITY** of a lifetime supplying DDT and other profitable products to farmers in Crawford County. No experience or capital required. Must have auto and good references. Permanent. Write or wire to MCNESS COMPANY, Dept. T, Freeport, Illinois. 25-1

**LOST**—One Benrus wrist watch (woman's). Reward. Phone 4421. 1

**FOR RENT**—Hunting lodge for five or six, near Manistee River, by week or month. \$25.00 a week. S. Jacobs, Indian River, Michigan. 1

**FAMILY** in Toledo, Ohio, will provide home for desirable girl in exchange for small services while she attends local business college. Interested, inquire at AVALANCHE Office. 25-1

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**FOR SALE**—Renown Range, J. W. Smith, 4 1/2 miles East of Fred- 1-8

**EXPERIENCED COOK** wanted. Steady employment. Grayling Restaurant. 1

**FOR SALE**—Car Radio, \$35.00. Mrs. Raleigh Howell, 407 Brink St., City. 18-25-1

**FOR SALE**—Cinaries, singers \$10.00. Canaries \$2. All birds guaranteed. Cages \$3 and up. Box 196, Grayling, or call at Trudeau's Cabins, Lake Margrethe. 1-8

**FOR SALE**—Enameled breakfast set—table and 4 chairs. Whitt Madsen, 801 Chestnut Street, City. 25

**LOST**—Boy's glasses on beach at Lake Margrethe between Kraus and Jerome cottages. Return to Mrs. Elmer Birdall, at Three Oaks Cottage, or phone 4122. 1

**FOR SALE**—Rustic bed, double, very well made, heavy casters; priced low at \$10. Garden hose, other articles. First trail to right beyond Hatchery. Follow Lantz sign; cabin is at second turn to right. 1

**FOR SALE**—4-burner pressure gas stove, oven and grill. Excellent condition. 109 Clare. R. L. Jackson. 25-1

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN**—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by anyone other than myself after this date. Chester Burke, Fred- 1-8

**PLAIN NOTE PAPER**—For that hasty message. 40c per box. AVALANCHE Office. 25-1

**WANTED**—Three double beds with springs. Call 4252. 25-1

**THE WAR** is over, but the paper shortage isn't. Order Christmas cards early and be sure. We have several lines at 25 and 50 cards for \$1.00 with name imprinted. AVALANCHE Office. 25-1

**FOR SALE**—30-gallon hot water tank with coil and fittings for cook stove. \$10.00. Apply at AVALANCHE Office. 1

**FOR SALE**—Hot water heater and tank with plumbing—don't coal. Nearly new. Inquire at this office or Carl W. Peterson. 1-8-15-22

**FOR SALE**—Antiques, antique furniture, rugs and paintings. B. Korach, Kalkaska, Mich. 1-8-15-22

**FOR SALE**—White porcelain coal and wood range, table top model, good condition; \$35. Joe Lennert, corner Elm and Lake Sts. 1

**FOR SALE**—New electric plant, 750 watt and 110 volt; used 3 weeks. Will sell cheap. Inquire The House That Jack Built, Bear Lakes, Bear and Cub. 1

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Gone but not forgotten—Ella May SanCarter. A card of thanks to all neighbors, friends and relatives for their kindness and lovely flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cholo, Mr. and Mrs. Ora Ingalls and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter LaMotte and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ingalls and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ingalls and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ingalls and family, Miss Mona Ingalls and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Raymond and family. 25-1

**LOVELLS NOTES**  
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kellogg and family.

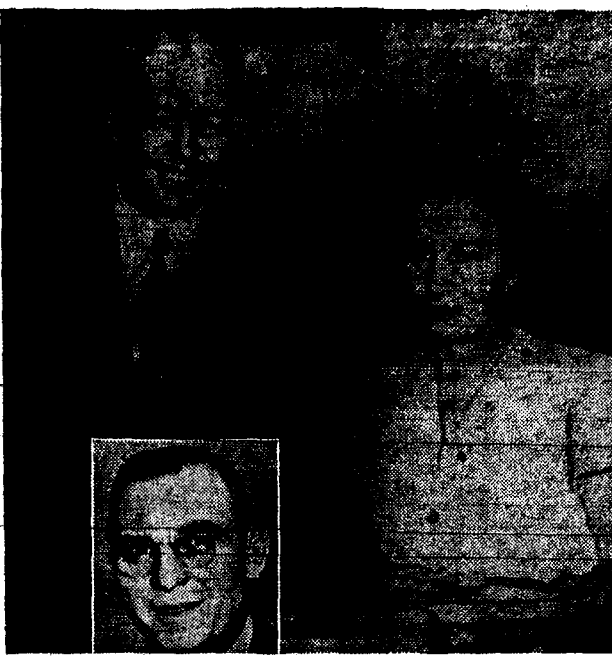
**Churches**

**SCHEDULE OF MASSES, ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Summer Schedule of Masses at St. Mary's Church:  
Sundays: 8:30; 8:30; 10:30 and 11:30 A.M.  
Holyday: 6:00 and 9:00 A.M.  
First Fridays: 7:30 A.M.

**MICHELSON MEMORIAL CHURCH**  
Sunday Services  
and 7:30 P.M.  
11:00 A.M.—Public worship.  
Join us in these helpful meetings. Public is invited.

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Chestnut St. and US-27  
Sunday Services  
10:00 A.M.—Sunday School.  
11:15 A.M.—Morning Service.  
8:45 P.M.—Young People.  
7:30 P.M.—Evening Service.  
body's Bible Class.  
Pastor, F. D. Barnes.

**FREDERIC BIBLE CHURCH**  
Sunday School at 9:30  
Church services at 10:30 A.M.



**THE WINNER AND HIS CANDIDATE**... Former governor of Minnesota, Harold Stassen, and Mrs. Stassen are shown as they voted at St. Paul in Minnesota Republican primary election. Insert shows Edward J. Thye, Republican governor of Minnesota and political protégé of Stassen, who defeated Senator Henrik Shipstead. Stassen fought Shipstead on his record of having voted against the U. N.

7:30 P.M.—Evening Services.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 P.M.  
Services at Excelsior Church Sunday at 11:30 A.M.  
Rev. C. I. Opitz, Pastor.

**GRAYLING EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
English Sunday Services.  
9:45 A.M.—Sunday School.  
11 A.M.—Worship.  
Everyone is welcome.  
Midweek Services  
Thursday—  
7:30 P.M.—Prayer and Every-  
Svend Holm, Pastor.

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Sunday School—10:00 a.m.  
Sermon—11:15 a.m.  
Evening Worship—7:30 p.m.  
Friday—7:30 p.m.  
Come and worship with us.  
Bertha Davis, Pastor.

## Aid Army Recruiting

(Continued from Page 1)  
tees voted last month at Atlantic City to urge more than 2,300 Kiwanis clubs in the United States to actively co-operate in the drive for enlistments.

In this connection, President Truman expressed the hope that "every individual and group will give earnest and enthusiastic co-operation" to the War Department's program to rebuild the regular army.

"The success of this campaign is vital to the performance of our tremendous task of securing the peace," the President declared. "We must replace as soon as possible men who have served long and arduously, and who wish to return to civil life. We must also build an army of volunteers adequate to all our requirements—at home and abroad—until the long-range peace terms and military policies are worked out," he added.

In calling for the support of Grayling Kiwanians, the War Department and Kiwanis International set a goal of one regular army enlistment for each 100 members in each Kiwanis club every month. Under this arrangement the plan would produce several thousand enlistments a year.

Each Kiwanis club has been asked to appoint a committee to work with the assigned army recruiting personnel in this area. All available prospects eligible for enlistment in the regular army will be contacted.

To spur interest in the campaign, special awards will be offered to clubs achieving the highest percentage of quota each month.

## LOVELLS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kellogg and family.

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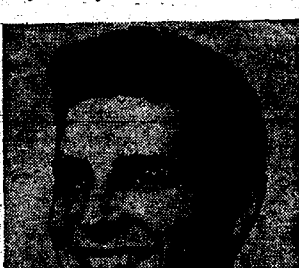
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## Star Dust

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**KERRY KELLY**, 3 1/2-year-old daughter of the dancing Gene, recently saw her first movie, a special 20 minute reel of all her daddy's dances from "Anchors Aweigh"—and wanted to know why she couldn't have danced with her father instead of little Sharon McManus, who did the Mexican dance with him. Incidentally, since he got out of the navy in April Kelly has been dancing five hours a day, limbering up his feet for more dancing, and then working out for two or three hours in a gymnasium, to tighten up his muscles. He starts work immediately on "The Pirate," with Judy Garland, at MGM, which means that he'll be in training till it's finished.

Johnny Desmond, NBC singing star, is a little worried about his first movie, slated to begin production this summer. "In Hollywood they usually turn dancers into dra-



family, of Saginaw, were guests at the home of Mr. Kellogg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kellogg, down river.

Cyril Lewis was in Lovells, Sunday, calling on friends. Son, J. Lewis, is a patient in Little Traverse Hospital, Petoskey, Mich. He is some better at this writing.

Margaret Husted and niece, Peggy Husted, of West Branch, are visiting relatives in Lovells for a few days.

Rev. Gess of West Branch, a Sunday School organizer, was in Lovells the past two Sundays, getting the Sunday School again organized. Mr. Gess is sent to different places organizing a Sunday School Union. We are glad to have this in our community, and it is much needed. Frank Wood will be superintendent. Ruth Caldwell, treasurer, and Emma Stillwagon, secretary. We would like adults as well as children to join in making this work helpful each Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bradley and son, Mrs. W. Reinhart and her mother, Mrs. M. Lux, of Monroe, Michigan, spent a week's vacation in Lovells, staying at the C. Stillwagon home.

Dr. and Mrs. E. Mortinque spent a few days last week at the "Woods" on Shupac Lake, en route from the Upper Peninsula to their home in Detroit.

Mrs. L. Gould of Brant has been a guest the past week of Mrs. J. Gould and daughter Betty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Venus of Detroit have been spending the past week with their son Bill at his cabin. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Serven and the Bob Bovees of Grayling, also Keith Bovee of Plymouth, were callers here last week.

Rev. Myron Gess of West Branch was a week-end guest of the Frank Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bigelow, their daughter Margie and her guest, Evelyn Holler, of Flint, are spending a week at Lake Shupac.

Ralph Weckler and Bob Yankle, who accompanied them for the week-end, returned to Flint Sunday. Mr. Bigelow is a son of Mrs. F. H. Carroll.

The party at the Town Hall, Saturday night, was well attended. Come again this Saturday and each Saturday night during the summer months.

Mrs. Hattie Monroe and niece, of Detroit, visited a few days with her cousin, Mrs. Lottie Kur-chenko.

Mrs. William Winston and son David, of Midland, are visiting her parents, the Bill Spauldings of Midland AUSAble Club.

Registered at "The Woods" on Shupac are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roche of Detroit, the A. J. Smith party of Toledo, and Mr. and Mrs. Simons and youngsters of Chicago.

Mrs. Judd and daughters Molly and Martha, and Mrs. Spence and daughter and son, who are enjoying their summer vacation at their cottage at Higgins Lake, spent Friday afternoon at Sunset Bank, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Boutell. They are all from Saginaw, Michigan.

Dale Allen is working in the cherry cannery in Traverse City. Erve Roe spent a week in Mayville, visiting with Pat Tophams.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wallace have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Daugherty and children, Tommy and Laura Jean, of Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Dedee and daughter Patsy and Mrs. Josephine Bedee, of Toledo, Ohio.

Rev. C. I. Opitz has accepted another pastorate and with his family will move this fall to Iowa. About forty attended the wedding shower for Mrs. Helen Ver-linde Cram at the Town Hall last Thursday night. She received some nice gifts. Ice cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newberry will attend the Latter Day Saints reunion this first week of August at Sanford, where they expect to meet Miss Beatrice Newberry, who has just returned from overseas.

There don't seem to be many huckleberries this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wallace, Mrs. Laura Wallace, Vern Wallace and Mrs. Wallace's mother, Mrs. Josephine Bedee, were callers in Traverse City, Monday.

Miss Carol Lodge is visiting in Detroit with her aunt, Mrs. Vance Horner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barber and son Bruce will arrive next Monday to visit his parents, the C. S. Barbers, and other relatives.

The Charles Madills are getting ready to move into their new home.

**TO CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**  
The B. O. T. Cousins' Club is giving a reception from 2:00 until 5:00 and 7:00 until 9:00 at the Masonic Temple, Mt. Morris, Michigan, on Sunday, August 4, 1946, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Craven of Fred- 25-1

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**GEORGE BERNARD SHAW TELLS HOW TO LIVE TO BE 100**

Is George Bernard Shaw right? That one should not eat meat until he is 100? A vegetarian, he gets along happily and healthfully, and thinks the meat shortage will force people to live longer. Read the remarkable interview in

Audrey Totter's sister June turned her back on Hollywood and went home to Joliet, Ill. "She saw me getting up at 5:30 every morning to go to work in 'Lady in the Lake,'" explained Audrey, "and decided she'd rather sleep than act in films."

Billy Riley, who fibbed about his age and saw two years of naval combat in the South Pacific, can't escape the school teacher on the "Lady in the Lake" set. Still under 18, he must obey the California law and do his lessons. He complained about it. "I sure had to look after myself on the beachheads," said Riley.

"The Adventures of the Thin Man" is being substituted for the "Fanny Brice Show" over CBS Sunday nights starting August 11, marking the beginning of the sixth year this show has been on the air. There have been three "Nick Charles," Les Darnay, David Goltzard and Les Tremayne, Les Darnay and Claudia Morgan, the original "Nick" and "Nora," now on the program, will continue.

## Frederic News

Kenneth Biendschattel has received his discharge from the United States Navy and is home.

The American Weekly with this Sunday's (August 4) issue of The Detroit Sunday Times.

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Grayling, Michigan, Thursday, August 1, 1946.

## Washington Revival Meeting

The breath of life has been given back to OPA.

As far as this writer is concerned, it recalls Frankenstein's horrible monster, who is slaughtered in each hair-raising thriller, but in a few months is back on the screen in another horror picture. Somehow he is revived.

It appears to us as though the resurrection was engineered but for one purpose—that of keeping political jobholders on the payroll. Prices have advanced since the death of OPA. There is no question on that point! However, in our own little community there were already signs of price cutbacks. One local market was selling meat the first of last week at the lowest price since OPA died a natural death.

The American system of free enterprise and competition was already whipping prices into ine along with the help of American citizens who knew what an article was worth and would pay no more. The day OPA expired, the markets of America offered articles for sale which the American people had thought were extinct.

The new bill which resuscitates OPA until next June 30, will allow price increases on many articles anyway. Another huge mass of articles will be exempted.

It is our opinion that taxes have been way, way higher than they should be and the retaining of thousands upon thousands of needless employees on the government payroll will not help to bring taxes down. During any conflict a certain amount of waste must be tolerated. Today we are living in peace regardless of any Congressional action legally declaring the cessation of war. We should begin to pare down the waste in government. If the present administration can not or will not see it, the American people will call on someone else. RWS

## PROGRAM

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Interesting Events In  
Grayling 23 Years AgoINTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE  
FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

AUGUST 2, 1923

Monday marked the opening day of the new Shoppenagons Inn Annex, located directly back of this well known hotel. It is complete with 17 rooms, nearly all of which are equipped with hot and cold running water. The rooms will be electric lighted and steam heated and will always be comfortable and cozy.

John Cripps last week purchased the Cameron Game property on Maple Street, formerly known as the Hammond property, and will move his family soon. The Game family a few months ago went to Detroit to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva F. Roberts and little son Junior left for Peckway Tuesday, where the little boy underwent an operation for tonsils at the Reycraft hospital.

Miss Marjorie Wolff left this week for New York to act as maid of honor in the wedding of her former room-mate at the Castle School, Miss Ann Clare Boothe, to George Tuttle Brokaw, which will take place at Christ Church in Greenwich. Miss Wolff will be accompanied home by Miss Dorothy Burns of Chicago, who will also be an attendant in the wedding party.

Leo Schram, manager of Schram's orchestra, announces that they will give Sunday night dances at Collier's pavilion beginning next Sunday.

Little Richard Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hans L. Peterson, had the misfortune to fall last evening and break his right arm. The little boy suffered a break in the same place some time ago.

Mrs. Boyd Funch of Eldorado has been appointed postmistress at that place, beginning her duties August 1, and succeeding James T. Crane who resigned.

Nick Nelson is assuming the emblem of authority in place of Marshal Al Cripps. The latter is taking a series of treatments for his asthma which necessitates giving up his work for a month.

What follows is a copy of an auction bill published 70 years ago (1850) in the Chenue Clipper-Times in Kentucky:

Having sold my farm and intending to move to Missouri, I will sell at public sale Saturday, Sept. 28, 1850, the following: One buck nigger, 25 years, wt 210 pounds; 4 nigger wenches from 18 to 24 years old; 3 nigger boys 6 yrs old; 13 nigger hoes; 1 fine sled; 6 yoke of oxen, broke; 2 ox carts with 6 inch tires; 1 saddle pony 5 years old; side saddle; 3 double shovels plows, 10 and 12 inches 25 gallons whiskey in jugs; 10 gallons apple cider; 2

bbls good sorghum; 2 bbls soap; 2 bbls kraut; extra good nigger whip; 2 tons tobacco, 2 years old. Sale will start at 10 sharp. Terms cash, 1 need the money. Col. A. Johnson, auctioneer.

## MICHIGAN MIRROR

(Continued from Page One)

world's largest canning plant for string beans. It is operated by the Stokely Company of Indianapolis. When we were there, the company was advertising for two thousand women to work five or six weeks.

Traveling northward along the sandy west coast with its succession of lakes, most of them connected with Lake Michigan, we visited Manistee, Frankfort, Beulah and Charlevoix. Hotels and cottages were jammed; looks like a bumper year for the tourist industry there.

Better wire ahead for reservations if you plan to stay any length of time. We found plenty of cabin facilities for overnight needs.

Conceived by the American Legion and legalized by the state legislature as a holiday, with an official proclamation by Governor Harry Kelly, "Victory Day" will be celebrated in Michigan on Wednesday, August 14. Numerous Michigan towns will hold housing receptions for World War II veterans. State employees have ten legal holidays with pay; "Victory Day" will be No. 11.

An eye-witness true story: Recently we were week-end guests of Richard "Dick" Fletcher of Bay City at his Roscommon summer place. On a day's canoe trip down the South Branch of the Ausable, we went by four fishermen, each of whom was eager to get the daily limit of 15 trout. At the Smith bridge the four men caught up with us. Much to our surprise, they returned 42 live trout—the day's creel—to the stream. How many sportsmen would do the same?

HERE'S TO  
HEALTH

## MEASLES MAY BE SERIOUS

Measles is such a common childhood disease that mothers are apt to look upon an attack as inevitable for their children. They think of measles as a necessary evil, calling for extra attention to the child, but nothing to worry about.

It is a good thing, of course, for the parent not to get excited when a child has measles—or any other disease, for that matter. But measles may have serious consequences, especially if the patient is very young, and should not be dismissed lightly.

Measles itself is seldom a direct cause of death. It may, however, lead to complications which will cause death or seriously menace health. Children with measles, or just recovering from an attack, may catch pneumonia, diphtheria, even tuberculosis. They may also develop ear trouble. The child recovering from measles is particularly susceptible to other infections.

The first symptoms of measles are a head cold, sneezing, running nose and watery eyes. Sometimes

## He Worked His Way

Young men wondering how to get a start in life can find a tip in the life story of William K. Jackson, new president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

He worked his way through the University of Florida. Then, at 17, he became recording clerk of the Florida House of Representatives, studied stenography on the side and found a job in a Jacksonville law firm at \$45 a month. From this salary he saved enough to go to the Virginia Law School and, with more work on the side to earn money, was graduated. Law practice eventually carried him to the post of general counsel and vice-president of the United Fruit Company.



MISS ATLANTIC CITY 1946... Blonde Betty Jones, 21, professional model, who has been acclaimed Miss Atlantic City of 1946, as she received her crown. She will be hostess at Miss America pageant in September.

vomiting occurs and there is a slight fever. Red spots break out on the skin about the fourth day. They last only a few days. The disease usually runs its course in two weeks.

Measles is common because it is highly contagious. It is often spread because its early symptoms are confused with those of a cold and children who have the disease are permitted to play with well children. At the first sign of measles, the child should be put to bed and kept there, separated from other children, until all danger is past. Meanwhile, a doctor should be consulted.

Children should never be deliberately exposed to measles. Common as the disease is, it is a threat to future health. Every precaution should be taken particularly to guard very young children from the disease. The majority of deaths from measles occurs among children less than three years of age. To protect children against measles, a new method is being tried which appears to give partial immunity to the disease or lightens its severity. Advice about serum should be obtained from a doctor. Of course, adults may catch measles, too. It is comparatively rare among them because so many people have measles in childhood and thereafter are immune to it. There are different types of measles, however, and one type does not create immun-

ity to another type.

Why former tuberculosis patients can be employed will be discussed in the next article.

(This article is presented by the Michigan Tuberculosis Association in the interest of better health.)



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PROCEEDINGS

July 1, 1946.

Regular Meeting

Meeting called to order by

Mayor George Burke.

County Board present: Burke,

Burns, Gross, Trudgeon, Carlson;

Attorney Moore.

Absent: None.

Minutes of last meeting read

and approved.

Bids on 1-ton trucks op-

erated—two bids received.

Bid of Welsh Motor Sales—

1-1-ton truck chassis and cab

(122 inch wheel base) with

hot water heater and defrost-

er—\$1,212.18

1-1-ton truck chassis and

cab (122 inch wheel base)

—\$1,188.68

Bid of Corcoran Auto Sales—

1-K-3 truck chassis and cab

(130 inch wheel base) with

hot water heater and defrost-

er—\$1,130.00

1-K-3 truck chassis and cab

(130 inch wheel base)

—\$1,113.10

Moved by Burke, supported by

Carlson, that the bid of the Welsh

Motor Sales on two 1-ton pickup

chassis for cab be accepted.

Yea: Burke, Carlson, Burns,

Gross.

Nay: Trudgeon.

A letter received from Mrs.

John Charlefour regarding the

assessment on her property for

the year 1946.

Moved by Burns, supported by

Trudgeon, that 1/3 of the City

tax on N 1/4 NW 1/4 Lot 4, Block 4,

Brink's First Addition be can-

celed.

Yea: Burns, Trudgeon, Gross,

Nay: Burke, Carlson.

Moved and supported that the

meeting be adjourned. Motion

carried.

George A. Granger,

City Clerk.

## Legal Notices

SOUTH BRANCH TOWNSHIP

UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Report of the annual meeting

of the school electors held on

Monday, the 6th day of July,

1946, at the South Branch Town-

ship Hall for the purpose of elect-

ing two members on the Board of

Education for a period of three

years and also to vote on the pro-

position, "Shall the tax limita-

tion on the total amount of tax-

which may be assessed against

property in School District

Township Unit, Township of

South Branch, County of Craw-

ford, State of Michigan, for all

purposes except taxes levied for

the payment of interest and prin-

cipal on obligations incurred

prior to December 8, 1935, be in-

creased for a period of five years,

from 1946 to 1950, both inclusive,

to 2% of the assessed valuation

of all property within the dis-

trict, as provided in Sec. 21, Ar-

ticle 2 of the Constitution of

Michigan? Also, "Shall the

School District, Township Unit,

Township of South Branch, Coun-

ty of Crawford, State of Michi-

## St. Joseph Miscellany

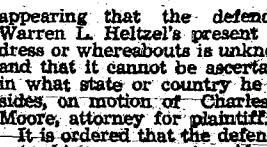


Tomorrow

is Forever

By GWEN BRISTOW

WYNN FEATURES



appearing that the defendant,

Warren L. Helzel's present ad-

dress or whereabouts is unknown

and that it cannot be ascertained

in what state or country he re-

sides, on motion of Charles E.

Moore, attorney for plaintiff.

It is ordered that the defendant

enter his appearance in said cause

on or about three months from

the date of this order, and that

within forty days the plaintiff

cause this order to be published

in the Crawford Avalanche, a

newspaper published and circu-

lated within said county, said

publication to be continued once

each week for six weeks in suc-

cession.

John C. Shaffer,

Circuit Judge.

A true copy.

Bessie Doner,

Clerk of the Court.

11-18-25-1-8-15

STATE OF MICHIGAN

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Suzie Harvey, T. E. Lewis,

Rose Haas, W. E. Lewis, Mabel

Law, Ethel Cline, Lillian

Cline Synoko, and Helen

Cline, Plaintiffs

vs.

Walter Jorgenson, and

Laughlin McLaughlin, Chas.

Yates and Peter Schwitter,

or their unknown heirs, de-

vises, legatees and assigns,

Defendants

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Suit ending in the Circuit Court

for the County of Crawford,

Chancery, on the 2nd day of

July, 1946.

On reading and filing the Bill

of Complaint in this cause and

the affidavit of Charles E. Moore

attached thereto, from which it

appears to the court that the de-



## LOCALS

S 1/c C. A. Papendick of Grayling received his honorable discharge from the United States Navy at the Great Lakes Naval Separation Center on July 25.

Mr and Mrs Earl Burns attended the funeral of a friend in Levering last Thursday.

John Hill of Honolulu spent two days in Grayling last week.

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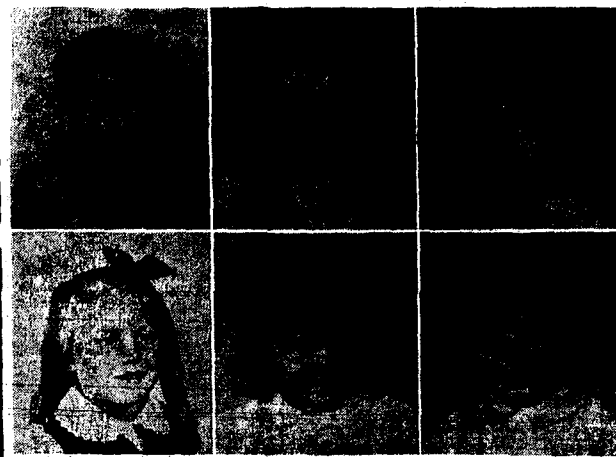
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## Future Citizens of the County



Pictured above are six more future citizens of Grayling and Crawford County. There are five more series of children's pictures to appear in the Avalanche. Above are, top row, left to right: Margaret Carol, 4 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Short of Grayling; 5-month-old Frank and year and a half old Alfred, both sons of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Galloway of Grayling. In the bottom row from left to right are Darla, 5 years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roger of Grayling; Linda, 2 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Leslie of Grayling; and 2 year old William, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eben Fie of Grayling. In last week's series of pictures, it was stated that year and a half old Mary was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cholo. This was an error—she is the daughter of Walter SanCarter. Mr. and Mrs. Cholo are the little girl's grandparents.

his seventh birthday Friday with several of his chums to help him. Mr. and Mrs. William La Rush entertained several friends at their home Saturday evening. The group sang and danced to the accompaniment of Mrs. Fred Ward at the piano, Mr. Ward, guitar, and Tom Wells playing the mandolin.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Tucker and son, Winston, of Evanston, Ill., are spending two weeks at Danish Landing and visiting the former's sister and family, the Ed Pentys.

Attention, MOMS: Special meeting Monday, August 5, at 8:00 p. m., Grange Hall.

K. H. Phelps and W. E. Duerr of B-C-D Equipment Co. Inc., spent Monday in Cheboygan on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bradley and son Charles, of Evanston, Ill., left Saturday after spending several days as the guests of Mrs. Helen Roudier, son Ralph, and Miss Margaret Bauman at the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigurd Johnson and family, of Saginaw, left Monday after spending a week at Danish Landing and visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Algot Johnson in Grayling.

The Howard Grangers of Kalkaska were callers in Grayling over the week-end.

Mrs. Frank Bond returned from Olivet Sunday, accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Taylor.

The Richard Lovely, Oscar Goss and Eugene Papendick families and Mrs. John Stephan and her daughter Helen gathered at Twin Pines Lodge, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hurl Deckrow, Sunday.

The group enjoyed home-made ice cream and cake.

William Willis accompanied W. E. Duerr here from Detroit to spend the week-end at the Duerr cottage at Lake Margrethe. Mrs. Willis has been a guest of Mr. Duerr at the cottage the past several weeks.

On Wednesday evening, August 7, the members of Grayling Chapter No. 83, Order of the Eastern Star are invited to attend a regular meeting of Chrysanthemum Chapter at Gaylord.

Miss Eva Dorr of Jackson is spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jarmin.

Week-end guests at the Lincoln Lodge Farm were Dr. and Mrs. Robert Coggan and daughters, Mary and Susan, and Mr. F. C. Murray, all of Detroit.

## Vet Administration Representative Here

R. H. Calkins, Manager of the Veterans Administration Sub-Regional Office at Saginaw, Michigan, has announced that Lester W. McCallum, Contact Representative from the Alpena, Michigan office of the Veterans Administration will be in Grayling, Michigan, on Thursday, August 8, 1946, at the County Court House, to render service to the veterans of the surrounding area.

The purpose of this visit by Mr. McCallum is to give every possible assistance to discharged members of the armed forces and their dependents in obtaining benefits to which they may be entitled under the laws administered by the Veterans Administration. These laws include Public Law No. 346, more commonly known as the "G. I. Bill of Rights", and Public Law No. 16. They also include laws pertaining to medical, hospital and domiciliary care; compensation and pension; the granting of loans; readjustment allowances and other benefits to which veterans or their dependents may be entitled under the laws passed by Congress, administration of which is the legal responsibility of the Veterans Administration.

Any veteran, widow of a veteran, or dependent of a veteran, who wants assistance in the preparation of application forms or desires information as to their rights and benefits under the laws administered by the Veterans Administration, are urged to communicate with Mr. McCallum at the County Court House.

The hours during which Mr. McCallum will be available are from 1:00 to 3:00 p. m. He will be in Grayling, Michigan, at the Court House starting Thursday, August 8, and will also be here during the same hours on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month thereafter.

## Frederic Defeats Both Grayling; Gaylord

The Frederic softball team,

known as "Frederic Bombers", has so far this season gone undefeated, having played three games, they won two and tied one. They beat Grayling 6 to 2, and defeated Gaylord 16-16. The tie game was with Gaylord, 8 to 8, called on account of darkness.

Anyone interested in planning a game with this fearless group of "atomic bombs", contact Leng's General Store, Frederic. The next game scheduled was to be played in Frederic, in back of the AuSable Hotel, July 31, at 7:00 in the evening.

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